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Examiner: R.D. Harlan

**FOR: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF A METAL-ORGANIC COMPOUND
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE IMINE LIGAND**

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

October 26, 2009 (Monday)

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 25, 2009, consideration of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. Applicants petition for a one-month extension in the period for response; the required fee is attached. October 25, 2009 is a Sunday. Applicants believe that this Amendment, filed on the next working day with a one-month extension of time, is timely. However, if any other fee is required to consider this response, the undersigned authorizes the fee (or any deficiency therein) to be charged to Deposit Account 14-1140 under Order No. 4662-148.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-4.

Claims 6, 8, 10 and 11 are amended.

Remarks begin on page 8.